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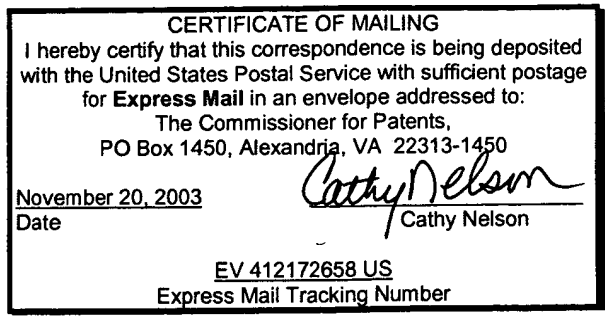
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/653,437
 Applicant : Jiuzhi Xue
 Filed : September 1, 2000
 TC/A.U. : 2878
 Examiner : Constantine Hannaher
 For : Ferroelectric Liquid Crystal
 Devices Using Materials with a
 DeVries Smectic A Phase
 Docket No. : 57-00
 Customer No.: 23713

Confirmation No. 5513



Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir,

In response to the Office Action of May 20, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments being on page 11 of this paper.

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